Letter from Richmond. Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.

RICHMOND, March 14.—The Senate has postponed the Bank Redemption bill-ayes 19, noes 17-till Wednesday next.

The House have been engaged all day, till the recess, on the bill concerning Li- \$18; prime \$15. Whiskey closed active at 23c.

The tax on Merchants Licenses is fixed at 1 license permitting any public show or exhibition \$10, if in a corporate town, or within five miles thereof for each time of performance, \$10; for every exhibition of a circus or menagerie, \$40; all such shows, whether under same canvass or not, shall be construed to require separate license; on unsold, and the balanca were taken by Baltimore every license to sell by retail, Porter, Ale, or Beer, \$20, and I per ct. on sales of more than a year; a license to Auctioneers commencing business \$25; the tax shall not exceed \$350.

The Senate have passed the bill regulating Fisheries on the Potomac, and a bill gross. concerning the working of public roads in Alexandria County. "A LOOKER ON."

The Repeal of the Redemption Law.

Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette. RICHMOND, March 14.—The repeal of the Bank Redemption bill was before the Senate to-day. A motion was made to indefinitely postpone the whole subject, the effeet of which would have been, had it succeeded, to have withdrawn the matter from the Legislature, and have retained what I consider the present unjust and harsh law. Against this. Messrs. Thomas, Carter, and Armstrong earnestly protested, as an act of injustice to the large majority of the House of Delegates in favor of the repeal, and to the minority of the Senate, if, indeed, they are in the minority. The proposition, how- ings of the six months ending April 1st and payever, was defeated, by a vote of ayes 17, noes 19. A motion was then made to lay it per cent. on the Washington Branch road, paya- adopted, granting Mr. Howard leave to ocon the table, and make it the order of the ble at the same time. day for next Wednesday, Whatever may be the ultimate fate of the bill, the Representatives of our section of the State, generally, have been earnest and untiring, in their efforts, to have the law repealing the provisions of the former act passed.

Conspicuous amongst those, have been the three Senators before named. Mr. Thomas, to my knowledge, left his bed of sickness to which he had been confined for several days, on Monday last, to participate in the debate upon this subject. He delivered a speech of near two hours in length, which is conceded by all who heard it, to have been one of much force and ability. He showed the harsh operation of the law upon the Banks situated on the borders of the State; the injustice of requiring them to divide their specie, so as to redeem their circulation at two different points, and to that extent, diminishing their ability to accommodate the demands of the people. The only argument which I had heard from those in favor of the continuation of this law, was that it operated to prevent the circulation of an to B, H. Lambert. irredeemable currency. Mr. Thomas denied that we have had an irredeemable currency, except during the period of a suspension of specie payments by the Banks. The evil was in the amount of paper money in circulation, and its inconvertibility from the fact, that many of the Banks were situated at inaccessible points; yet by the general banking law controlling all these institutions, they are bound, under heavy penalties, to redeem their obligations in specie, when presented at their counters. He contended, therefore, that there was no irredeemable currency, and if difficulties were presented in the conversion of their notes | this port 14th instant. into specie, it was not the fault of the Banks, but of the Legislature itself, in chartering Banks in every quarter of the State, and authorizing them by existing laws to increase the circulation of paper money .-This was the fault of our legislation, and we should not punish the Banks by requiring them to change the contracts by which they were incorporated, by requiring them to redeem their obligations at two different points. The remedy, he thought, for the evils complained of, could be found by lo- Compton, J S cating our Banks at the commercial points | Cox, John T in the State, and increasing their capital to Cranford, James an extent sufficient to accommodate the de- Crow, Michael mands of all our interests. He referred to the message of our late Governor, Mr. Wise, Dogan, Maria in which he spoke of this redemption bill as | Daly, Eliza rendering a large portion of the State sub- Dockett, Jane servient to the interests of Baltimore, and by our own law, degrading our currency to a quarter per cent. below par. In this connexion he paid a high compliment to the Flaxcomb, Charles 2 administrative ability of Governor Wise. Fry, jr., H W. He spoke of the boldness and success with which he met the financial crisis of 1857, Golden, Catharine and remarked that by his act at that time, Graves, James W he had rescued the State from the distress which would have inevitably befallen it. Hays, Catharine Hammet, Edward He, therefore, thought Gov. Wise's views as Hood, George-2 to the impolicy of the law, entitled to great | Harrison, agt., J W consideration. He spoke of the great em- Hershey, Nellie barrassment and stringency in the money | Henridge W H market of our section of the State, and in this he was confirmed not only by the repre-

I regret very much that there are no re- Lowe, Alfred porters to give you the speeches, and al- Lynch, John though I know that Mr. Thomas has been applied to to write out his speeches, yet he has invariably declined to do so. His speech, as well as those of other gentlemen, Mitchell, George W abounded in valuable statistical information, May, John H which the people should have the benefit of. | Murphy, Lloyd I regret that the Delegate from Alexandria, valuable and enlightened as he is upon all commercial and financial subjects, should have differed in opinion with the Senator from the District, in this matter. Mr. Mc-Kenzie is doubtless sincere in his belief that the law is a valuable one, and not obnoxious to the criticisms made upon it. He may be right; but in this I do not think he will find the people of our portion of the State Rawlett, Mary E 2 will agree with him. Messrs. Carter and Armstrong, also, have spoken upon the bill, Snyder, Geo H in highly creditable efforts, and you may Sampson, James W rest assured will do all in their power to Smith, Robert have the obnoxious law repealed. ANOTHER "LOOKER ON."

by the opinions of Loudoun, Jefferson, &c.

In the county of Bedford, Va., there are Webb, Mary twenty-one candidates announced in the newspapers for the office of Commissioner of the Revenue. Up to this time, there is not a single candidate announced for that post in

MARRIED.

On Wednesday, the 14th inst., in Christ Church, Alexandria, Va., by the Rev. C. B. Dana, WIL-LIAM SILVEY, U. S. Army, to ISABELLA AUCHMUTE HEILEMAN, daughter of the late Col. Julius F. Heileman.

By the Rev. Wm. Conner Blount, in the Southern Methodist Church, in Washington city, March | day, the 26th inst. 13th, 1860, Mr. ALFRED KIDWELL, to Miss SARAH E. GRAY, all of Alexandria, Va.

not fail to attend. mh 16-1t EASTERN HERRINGS .- 500 bbls. of prime FEATHERS. quality, for sale, to arrive, by
mh 12 WM. H. FOWLE & SON.

COMMERCIAL.

The Markets. BALTIMORE, March 15 .- Flour closed very firm : City Mills and Howard street \$5.87; Ohio is held at the same. Wheat closed quiet and unchanged; white 160@170c, for good to prime; do. red 140 @145c. Corn closed active, but steady; white 70 @72c.; yellow 70@75c. Pork closed firm; mess

per ct. on all sales, to take effect 1st of May, 10@\$6.30. Wheat has a declining tendency, and 1861. License to a person selling goods by is nominally lower. Corn is dull; white and yelsamples, cards, or otherwise, except at some low 75@784c. Pork is dull; mess \$17.25@\$18.12; samples, carry prime \$14.56@\$14.62. Lard is quiet. Whiskey storehouse or place of trade, \$200; on every prime \$14.56@\$14.62. Lard is quiet. Whiskey is dull, at 23½c. Stocks are better. Cumberland Coal Co. 15‡. Va. 6's 94½. Mo. 6's 81½.

Baltimore Cattle Market, March 15. BEEF CATTLE .- The offerings at the scales to-day reached 600 head, of which number 120 were dri- having been discussed by Messers. Toombs, ven to Philadelphia and Washington, 50 left over butchers at prices ranging from \$3.25 to \$5-aver-

age \$4.25. Hogs. -The supply of Hogs has been heavy this week, but the market is dull, and sales were made at prices ranging from \$7.50@\$8.50 per 100 lbs. bill as the special order. SHEEP .- Sheep are in poor supply, and the mar-

New York Cattle Market, March 14. Beeves .- Market higher; with sales of 3,000 head at a dectine of bc. for low grades; prices

ranging from 8 to 10 cents; premium qualities 101 the improvement of the navigation of Pa-@11 cents. Sheep.-Market higher and active; sales of 6000 head. Swine. - The market is somewhat higher, sales of 3,000 head at 57@7 cts.

detail of the earnings of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad and Branches, for February, was presented at the meeting of the Board of Directors, on Wednesday. It shows an aggregate increase of \$29,111.99 over the corresponding month of 1859: Total......\$303,631 78 Total.........\$332.745-77

Nett increase for February, 1860 The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad has declared a dividend of 3 per cent, in cash, out of the carnable on the 12th of that month. The Company has also declared a semi-annual dividend of 45

The New York weekly Bank statement, in its leading features, is not regarded as favorable. committee on the case of his contesting the seat now occupied by Mr. Cooper; and also specie strength of last week has been considera- that he have leave to speak to the merits of amount received was \$254 which is some- had notified Miramon not to interfere with bly diminished. The treasure by the Atlantic the question. will, however, cheek the falling average of the specie reserve. With respect to the per centage of specie to net deposits, the showing is good. A few only report under 20 per cent., while others maintain steadily over 33 per cent.

MARCH.					MOON'S P	HASES.	
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17 Saturday	6	3	5	57	New22	8 48 M	
18 Sunday	6	2	5	58	First qr., 30	1 47 M	
19 Monday	6	1	5	59	Full 9	4 55 E	
20 Tuesday	6	0	6	0	Last qr12	8 32 E	
21 Wednesday	5	58	6	- 2	HIGH WATER.		
22 Thursday	5	57	8	3	March 16, -	-hm.	
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PORT OF ALEXANDRIA -- MARCH 15. Ship Anne Laurie, Morris, Liverpool, January

26th, erates to R. H. Miller, Son & Co., and salt Master. SAILED.

Sehr. W. H. Godfrey, Wicks, Providence, by American Coal Co. Schr. Palestine, Cambreen, New York, by American Coal Co. Schr. James H. Deputy, Waitman, Fall River, by Borden Mining Co.

can Coal Co. MEMORANDA. Ship Luna, Warkmeister, was at Liverpool 25th ultimo, to load for this port. Sehr, Joshua Hamlin, Rich, from Boston for the Rappahannock, sailed from Newport 13th instant. Schr. Oneida, Curtis, cleared at New York for the House, at 5 o'clock, adjourned.

	March, 1860. Persons list, will please say they	calling for Letters 1
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Corbett, John Cole, Lewis Colt, Samuel Carthy, George M Davis, Charlotte Davis George (col'd) Dealton, Nellie Doughty, Mantie L Evans, Elizabeth

Flood, Charles Flaig, Matthew Gannell, James Greesville M A Hinton, E 0-2 Hays, Catharine Hobson, Elizabeth Hammil, Hugh

Haves, James T Hamilton, Samuel Horhorn, Sam'l A Hinckly, Joseph N Capt Jones, Eliza Jett, Sarah sentations of the people of Alexandria, but Jefferson, W H Johnson, Geo W Litchfield, Hiram

> Leneir, William McBurney, Isaac Mortimer, George E Meyerr, Louis Munford, Thomas Mitchell, Mary Ann

Lane, Jane

Oferire, Charles Mrs. Preston, Chas W Mrs Poor, Sophia F Poisal & Co. Messrs. T B Quigley, Patrick Robinson, Elizabeth Ray, Alexander Rose, C Capt

Rose, Charles C Smith, James Steeples, Mary Swinney, Willie, Miss Thompson, Sarah A Wharton, G C

White & Co., E E

Webster, Mary E Watson, Thomas Van Wickle, H S T. W. ASHBY, P. M. THIRD GRAND SOIREE!

PROF. JOAB OSBURN will give his THIRD less their delegates were present. GRAND DANCING SOIREE, AT SAREPTA HALL! On Monday Evening, March 19th. Prof. GEO. M. ARTH's celebrated Cotillion Band

has been engaged for the occasion. Tickets of Admission, \$1.00. The next Quarter will commence on Mon-

at 3 o'clock, and be continued on Saturday, at 10 a pleasant and lucrative employment by address in the many in the morning, and 2 in the afternoon, when the whole stock will be disposed of. Ladies should of Broome and Crosby Streets, New York. New York, mh 16-1t

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CONGRESS.

REPURTED FOR THE ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE. Senate, Thursday, March 15.

and passed. Mr. Summer, of Massachusetts, introduced New York, March 15 .- Flour is heavy; State a resolution, directing the Committee on \$5.30@\$5.35; Ohio \$6.00@\$6.20; Southern \$6 .- Finance, to report upon the expellency of substituting declarations in all cases where oaths are now required, in testing the value of imported goods at Custom Houses. The resolution was agreed to.

The Senate then took up a joint resolution for the improvement and enlargement of the for the whole of said increased capital, and to Louisville and Portland Canal.

The resolution was slightly amended, and of Georgia, Dixon, of Kentucky, Wade, of Ohio, Crittenden, of Kentucky, and Davis, of Mississippi, was passed by a vote of yeas 30, nays 14.

The Chair then called up the Homestead On motion of Mr. Mason, of Virginia, the ket is dull, with sales at \$4.50 to \$5.50 per 100 lbs., Senate went into Executive session, and after 1860, and the remainder in the year 1861, or ding 610,000 American. several hours spent therein, adjourned.

> House of Representatives. Mr. Harris, of Md., introduced a bill for

tansco river.

resolution, which was adopted BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.—The following be hereby tendered to those clergymen of public property, to assess upon each stall the District of Columbia, who have attended a certain rent, and allow each person de-

ny in the case of Wm. A. Howard, contest- after which they become comparatively valueing the right of Hon. Goorge B. Cooper to less. The rents below, are thus, in fact, represent the first Congressional District of given for a few months occupancy. The Michigan in this House.

next, at I o'clock.

He also offered a resolution, which was cupy a seat upon the floor of the House pending the discussion of the report of the

On motion of Mr. Washburn, of Me., the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole, (Mr. Stanton in the chair,) for the purpose of considering the report of the Select Committee, appointed to make such | those immediately interested in the renting. | sioner of Indian Affairs has issued a letter, amendments to the rules of the House as they deemed proper.

The subject of rules was, after several hours, laid aside, and the committee took up the Indian Appropriation bill, and agreed to report it to the House.

The committee rose and reported the bill The bill was then considered in the House,

Mr. Hamilton, of Texas, moved the amend-Schr. Mary Alice, Bradley, Vienna, lumber to ed bill be referred to the Committee on Mil-

Pending the consideration of the subject, ---

The Methodist Protestant Conference,

on Wednesday. Rev. Washington Roby was called to the | dem., 542. chair, who opened the Conference with prayer, after which the body was called to

order. Secretary, and Rev. J. T. Murray, Secreta- arrived at this port, yesterday, about noon, ry of the last conference was declared unan- To encourage direct importation should be

A ballot was then taken for Secretary. and Rev. T. D. Valiant was duly elected .-Rev. Washington Dennis was elected Assist ant Secretary.

annual sermon was delivered by Rev. R. S. scribers, reported a large list. Some pre-

which the examination of official character was proceeded with. The President announced that the Rev. B. F. Brown had withdrawn from the Conference, and also

pleased to say that everything was prosperous, although the duties of the year had been one of great anxiety and mental care to him, but he thought that all the members had used their best endeavors for the promotion of the good cause, and the general aspect of things was gratifying to all. The president's character was passed, an

the examination of the official character of Superintendents was heard and passed. The following is a list of those being pre sent who were examined and passed. N. S. Greenaway, D. E. Reese, E. J. Drinkhouse, John Roberts, Jesse Shreeve, H. C. Cushing, David Wilson, Dr. J. J. Murray, D. Bowers, L. W. Bates, J. R. Nichols, W. T. Hammond, J. W. Everist, T. J. Slaughter, S. J. Dorsey, Dr. A. S. Eversole, J. A. McFadden, J. F. Whiteside Thomas Lee, C. Eversole, W. T. Dumm, W. G. Holmes, T. D. Vallant, T. C. Ewell, W. T. Wright, R. S. Norris, P. L. Wilson, D. W. Bates, J. K. Nichols, John Elderdice, A. D. Dick, J. T. Ward, R. Livingston, D. A. Shermer, J. Clay, Dr. D. F. Ewell, Thomas A. Moore, H. P. Jordon, J. M. Elderdice, C. H. Littleton, Josiah Varden, J. H. Ellegood. G. D. Hamilton, Dr. E. Yeates Reese, S. B.

Sutherland. Several of the Superintendents were examined, not being represented by their delegates, when, on the call of Rev. L. W. Bates, Rev. D. S. Shermer objected to the examination of the character of Superintendents, un-

The question being taken on the examinathem. - Woodstock Tenth Legion. tated, which it is not likely to be. ion of the character of Rev. L. W. Bates, in the absence of his delegate was carried. The trade at Charleston and New Orleans, all other cases not represented by delegates, than usual this spring, which fact is owing Warrenton. Florida, this morning. The the President. Adjourned. A large hotel, to be called the Clarendon,

an outlay of \$100,000.

LOCAL ITEMS.

MANASSAS GAP RAILROAD COMPANY .- The meeting of the stockholders of this Company takes place in this city to-day. The object The bill to regulate the fees of District of the meeting is to consider the following Attorneys, Marshals, and Clerks of the U. act, passed recently by the Legislature: S. District Courts was taken up, amended, AN ACT increasing the capital stock of the Manassus Gap Railroad Company, and authoriz

ing a subscription thereto by the Board of Pab-lie Works. Passed February 10th, 1860. Secretar 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly, That the capital of the Manassos Gap Railroad Company be, and the same is hereby increased by the sum of \$350,000. SEC. 2 Be it further enacted, That the Board

of Public Works are hereby empowered and directed to subscribe on behalf of the Commonwealth with the existing laws, on the express condition that the whole of said new stock shall be constitue and Modern will be annexed to Sardinia, eferred stock, and that the Commonwealth shall be enticled to share, and actually receive six per centum dividend thereon perpetually, before any | 666 bales, closing very dull. Middling and lowother dividends are declared or paid upon any ther stock held in said Company, and provided that not more than \$175,000 of the subscription hereby authorized, shall be called for in the year thereafter at the convenience of said Company. SEC. 3. This act shall be in force from its pas-

RENTING OF THE FISH STALLS. -The annual renting of the fish stalls in the market Mr. Maynard introduced the following square, took pince yesterday morning. In lieu of offering the stands at public auction, Resolved, That the thanks of the House it was deemed better, by the committee on the daily sessions, and opened the same siring to rent to chose his stall. This will produce a revenue larger than the sum ob-Mr. Campbell, from the Committee on tained by the public letting at auction. Elections, introduced the following resolu- These fish stalls are plain benches and occupy the most easterly portion of the mar-Resolved, That it is inexpedient to allow ket square. They are most valuable as the contestants further time to take testimo- stands during the spring and early summer,

Assigned as a special order for Tuesday and the parties by whom the stands were tiken, are as follows: No. 1, J. W. Allison, \$10 No. S. E. Horseman, \$50

4. Rd. Williams, 10 9. Thom. Javins, 60 . Jaz. E. Grymes, 20 E. Horseman, 20 11.

The stalls numbered 2, 3, 13 and 14 presence of other influences at work. were not rented vesterday; nevertheless, the what larger than the whole revenue received either the persons or property of American andria, held March 13th, 1860, there were present, from the fish market last year.

In consequence of the new method of disposing of the stalls, the crowd in attendance was smaller than usual, being confined to

Eberling, John Hickman, and John Dough- utter disregard of law, which is imperative, erty, United States marines, for helinous of and must be enforced. He would exceedfences against Laura Swingman. After an ingly regret a collision between the citizens, absence of about fifteen minutes, the jury re- and the United States troops, and hopes that turned at 3 o'clock, and in each case ren- such a great calamity will be averted; but, ordered to be engrossed, read the third time, dered a verdict of "guilty." The woman as at present advised, unless they obey the

be sont to the Committee on Military Affairs, who already had under consideration of Commander might the building in Mechanic street, own
NEWARK, March, 11—At midnight last vantageous to the City Council.

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NEWARK, March, 13—At midnight last vantageous to the City Council.

Observatory on invitation of Commander might the building in Mechanic street, own-Schr. John Beatty, Sharp, Stanford, by Ameri- fairs, who already had under consideration Observatory on invitation of Commander night the building in Mechanic street, ownthe subject to which the amendment related. Maury, and afterward the Smithsonian In- ed and occupied by James M. and G. Mr. Reagan, of Texas, asked the speedy stitute, on invitation of Professor Heary, Prazer, silver platers and manufacturers of Mr. Reagan, of Texas, asked the apecty action of the House in the matter. Every and this evening they attended a series of saddlery hardware, was totally destroyed by mail brought news of fresh outrages.

Struct, on invitation of the first saddlery hardware, was totally destroyed by electrical experiments. The prospect of the first together with a good stock of finished passage, by Congress, of a hill establishing a and unfinished work. A large amount was Messrs. Dorsey and Whittington were appointimproving.

The election in Georgetown for two mem-Met in Baltimore, at the church on the bers of Council, resulted as follows: R. P. hands. Insurance on ready made stock, in this corner of Washington and Lombard streets | Dodge, dem., 577; W. H. Tenney, American, valued at \$9,000, and on wares in process

THE SHIP ANNIE LAURIE, from Liverpool, with a cargo of salt, china, &c., to Messrs. | 000, principally in New York offices. The Conference then proceeded to elect a B. H. Lambert and R. H. Müler, Son & Co.,

THE CLAY DINNER.—The subscribers to the Ciny dinner, met last night, at Relief The conference then adjourned, when the Hall, when the Committee to procure sub-AFTERNOON SESSION.—The afternoon session was opened with religious services, after

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Last week we referred to the recent losses of letters and packages by the mail from Cruz. this place to Alexandria, &c. The Alexan-R. Norris and Freeman of the Methodist dria Gazette thinks that there must be some Episcopal Church being present, were introduced to the Conference and invited to sents. paper that there is no mistake about it. and the President gave a brief review of his remittances—one a check for \$150, and the official duties during the past year. He was other a small amount of money. The desti-A small package sent from this post office to Mitchell's Station, has also failed to reach its destination .- Clarke County Conservator.

> FAIRFAX QUARTERLY COURT,-The March (Quarterly) term of our County Court will commence its session on Monday next. The following Justices will constitute the Court: 1st Day-J. C. Gunnell, P. J.; Jas. P. Machen, Alfred Leigh, and Richard Johnson, Associates, 2d Day-J. C. Gannell, B. F. Shreeve, George Burke, and W. W. Ball, Associates.—Fairfax News.

Suxp. - A schooner arrived yesterday afternoon, with about 250 fine Shad, taken by 172, Cohen (anti-Cobb) 157.

Passage Creek, will be visited by these de, will, perhaps, reconsider this vote to-morstructive insects, from all appearances; dur- row. ing the ensuing summer. In some localities, we learn, thousands of them are, being have been indications of some excitement. plowed up by the farmers. It may be proper, before they emerge from the ground, to cartion those who live within the range have too free access to them, at once. It is bated the Nicaraguan Treaty. The clause known that, at this season, when they are permitting the landing of American troops within a few inches of the surface of the to protect the transit route, was stricken

Philadelphia and Boston.

FURS.—On account of the non-arrival of the Furs, the sale will perfect the Furs, the sale will perfect the States and Caladary who is a member of, and has some acquaintance who is a member of, and has some acquaintance is located on Broadway, near the new spring. The ground, including the new spring, cost been endeavoring to prevail on the Rabbis with, the Masonic Fraternity. One who will give as reference the Officers of his Lodge, can obtain as reference the Officers objections, as the Talmud prohibits prose-

BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH. LATER FROM EUROPE.

Sr. John's, March 15.-The steamer Cireassian of the Galway line, arrived here to- an assorted cargo of merchandise valued at day bringing dates to the 3d inst. The steamer City of Washington arrived out on the 1st inst.

ARRIVAL OF THE CIRCASSIAN.

Napoleon in his speech at the opening of the Chamber of Deputies, says that Tuscany is to be a separate kingdom, and that Parma ted and declared by said Company, before enjoy- while France is to have Savoy as a security ing any benefits of this act, to be a six per centum | for her frontiers. He hoped that the great powers will see the necessity for this. COMMERCIAL.-Cotton Sales of the week 55 or grades declined fully & on the week, prices of fair barely maintained. Imports very heavy, Orleans tair 77: Middlings 63: Uplands fair 7; Middlings 6. Stock in port 751,000 bales, inciu-Breadstuffs quiet and steady.

Provisions steady. Consols 947. Later from Mexico.

New ORLEANS, March 15 .- We have news from Acapulco to the 21st. Alvarez had ordered Gen. Wheat to Vera lruz, to command the foreign forces there.

aken one thousand of Miramon's men pris- age was done to the building. ners, and cut of all communication between Miramon's army and the city of Mexico. Miramon was short of provisions depending for supplies upon the Havana expidi-

The city of Alvarado had been blockaded by the Liberals. Since the departure of Mr. McLean, the | land mail, rents were assessed upon the several stands. British, French, and Spanish Ministers had

been endeavoring to effect a compromise between Junez and Miramon. An armistice of six months had been pro-61 posed between the beiligerants.

do. 10 declined of late, and was scarcely felt in the both heats. Time 3.40}. Commander Jarvis, of the Gulf Squadron Citizens.

From Washington.

Washington, March 15,-The Commisin which he says that almost every Indian Washington Items. - The Criminal Court | reservation in Kansas, has either been seton Wednesday, resumed the trial of John thed, or trespassed upon by the whites, in

telegraphic line to the Pacific, is constantly packed up ready for shipment, and but little ed said Committee. of it saved. This was a large establishment of the kind, employing over one hundred | ning, at 7 o'clock. 562; J. B. Davidson, American, 549; Davis, of manufacture, valued at \$6,000-insured \$12,000. The buildings were old, and valued at about \$5,000; insured for \$2,000. Total loss \$20,000. Total insurance \$14.-

Additional from Mexico. New Orleans, March 14 .- Additional ading the men and armament to Vera Cruz .-

A conspiracy had been discovered on board a liberal vessel, but was suppressed. The Miranon steamers, General Miramon

been chartered by Juarez. Lieut, Carter, of the Saratoga, has arrived here as bearer of dispatches from Vera

Reported Serious Railway Accident. BALTIMORE, March 15 - A serious acci persons were seriously injured. The Company have just dispatched a special train with physicians and appliances for any who may have been injured. Reporters went up

on the same train. LATER. - A dispatch from one of the officers says, that Mrs. Hutchins, the wife of one of the employees of the road, had her wishing to purchase will apply to

JOHN T. JOHNSON.

TERMS.—One third cash, the darks.—One third cash, the darks. injured; but that no lives were lost.

Georgia Democratic State Convention. MILLEDGEVILLE, Ga., March 14.-Alex MILLEDGEVILLE, Ga., March 14.—Alex Lawten, of Chatham, (Cohb man.) was elect— 500 BBLS. PRIME EASTERN HERRING. BY JOHN T. CREIGHTON—AUGUSTERS. Lawten, of Chatham, (Cohb man.) was elect— 500 do. do. do. do. ALEWIVES, PRIME EASTERN HERRING. BY JOHN T. CREIGHTON—AUGUSTERS. ed permanent President of the Convention. by 15 majority. The vote stood, Lawton

Gillers on the River.

At midnight, however, the tables were turned, and Mr. Gordon's resolution to elect ing along the Southern base of the North eight delegates to Charleston by ballot, was Mountain, between Tom's Brook and Narrow passed by 46 majority. The Convention

WASHINGTON, March 15, P. M.-The Sens TER. The Call at City Hotel. min 15-1w* of this colony, against letting their hogs are in Executive session, this afternoon deground, hogs seek after and devour them out, and the Treaty was then laid on the with great avidity, and many are frequent- table. As this is the last day of grace for

ly killed by eating too large quantities of the Treaty it is now defunct unless resusci-

The motion was amended so as to include it is stated, is nearly fifty per cent larger Augusta, March 15 .- A fire took place at The Committees were then announced by to the abstraction of so much trade from the conflagration begun in the Grocery estabsmall jobbers and dealers in New York, lishment of F. H. Thompson, and in progress destroyed that, together with Spence & Co.'s WANTED. -- A gentleman (one from each County in the United States and Canada,) is now being built at Saratoga Springs. It In Russian Poland, a young Christian has The loss is estimated at \$12,000, on which

Ship Burned. NEW YORK, March, 15 .- The ship Wabamo, Captain Doty, bound from New York for Antwerp, caught fire about noon yesterday, while going down the bay and burned to the water's edge. The flames spread with such rapidity as to defy every effort to subdue them. The officers and crew were taken off by the pilot boat Elwood Walter, saving but little more than the clothing on their backs. The ship was valued at \$32,000 .-Her loss is covered by insurance. She had \$70,000, which was insured for \$54,467.

The Charleston Convention.

Washington, March 15 .- A prominent member of the Democratic National Executive Committee, thus replies to an inquiry as to changing the place for holding the Democratic National Convention- There is a good deal said seriously about it; much pressure for it; and if continued, the Committee may be called together to consider it.'

Commencement.

PHILADELPHIA, March 15.—The Commencement Exercises of the Medical de- 150 casks HIBBERT'S LONDON PORTER, partment of the University of Pennsylvania, took place to-day. One hundred and seventy-three students took the degree of M. D. Among the graduates were ninety-nine from Southern States.

Fire at the St. Charles Hotel.

New Orleans, March, 14.—The gasometer of the St Charles Hotel exploded last night, It was believed that Miramon would not and set fire to the building, besides burning two men to death. The fire, however, was Gen Carvajal with two thousandmen had extinguished before any considerable dam-

> The California Malls. NEW YORK, March 14 -- The California

mail steamship North Star arrived this morning, but her most important advices have been anticipated several days by the Independent passenger line and the over-

The Mobile Races.

Moscie, March 14.—In the first race to-

IN COMMON COUNCIL.

At a meeting of the Common Council of Alex-J. H. McVeigh, President pro tem. G. T. Whittington, and C. W. Alexander. G. H. Markell, member elect from the First

Ward, appeared ant was qualified. In the absence of the Clerk, Geo. T. Whittingon was elected Clerk pro tem. W. A. Harper offered the following resolution: Resolved, That the Alexandria Library Comany be allowed \$30 worth of this per annum. Referred to the Committee on Light.

A communication was received from R. J. ackey, through his Attorney, H. O. Claughton, Jax county, pronounced in the case of "Bloxbam

which was adopted: upon a credit of six, twelve, and eighteen months, Resolved, That a Committee of two be appoint. with interest from the day of sale, to be secured by of to inquire into the expediency, and report the the notes of the purchaser, and a retention of the cost of desks and chairs for this branch of the title until the purchase money shall be fully paid.

On morrow, Conneil adjourned until Friday eve

GEO. T. WHITTINGTON,

Clerk pro tem. AUCTION SALES.

o'clock, A. M., all the HOUSEHOLD and KITCH- Roads, and about seven miles from both Alexan EN FURNITURE, belonging to the late James | dria and Washington.

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Thuses: On all sums over \$10, a credit of six ed—eight or ten acres of it are in wood of fine

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The buildings on the place consist of a comfortable COTTAGE, a large Barn, Sta-J day of March, 1860, at 11 o'clock, A. M., 1 will offer at public Auction, for cash, at the dwelling on the cast side of Washington, between

RICHARD H. WARDER. mb 15-dts Constable of Alexandria Co. DUBLIC SALE OF A VALUABLE NEGRO MAN.—I will sell at public auction, in front | mh 5—dts [Nat Int. copy.] Trustee of Cutt's Tavern, at West End, on Soluzday sect. | py m M McCORMICE Averages MAN, belonging to a lady in Washington. He is ONTUESDAY, THE THIRD DAY OF APRIL NEXT, the undersigned will offer 17th instant, at 12 o'clock, a valuable NEGRO

be sold to the trade. Sale positive—terms cash, ah 14—dts W. R. MILLAN. street, between Duke and Prince streets. This with a depth of 123 feet 5 luches, property can be bought low for cash. If not sold at private sale by the NINETEENTH MARCH, hibited on day of sale.

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JEROME, will leave on Saturday, 17th inst. WM. H. FOWLE & SON, No. 4 South Wharves. (4) Marine Disaster.

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BY T. M. MCCORMICK .- AUCTIONBER. CARGO OF THE BRITISH SHIP "ANNIE LAURIE," direct from Liverpool, will be

ON TUESDAY, 20th inst., at 11 o'clock,

ON THE LONG WHARF, CONSISTING OF 1000 SACKS ASHTON'S FINE SALT

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5,500 sacks LIVERPOOL FINE SALT, oargood the ship Alexander, direct from Liverpool And expected in time, 100 casks new RICE, from Charleston, S. C.

Will be added to the above sale-700 bags Government JAVA COFFEE. E., D. & CO. Richmond, mh 15-dts

BY T. M. McCORMICK-Auctioneer.

Alexandria County, Va., of the 6th day of June, 1859, in the suit of Kincheloe & Bruin, plaintiffs, against Thomas Coyle and others, defendants, the abscriber, as Commissioner for the purpose, will offer for sale, at public auction, in front of the Mayor's Office in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on Saturday the 31st day of March, 1860, at 12 o'clock, M., the following property: A TRACT OF LAND, in the County of Prince William, Va., on the Orange and Alexandria Railroad, near its intersection with Bull Rua, containing about 227 ACRES and 22 POLESbeing the same tract of land which was conveyed by Wilmer McLean, and others, to George D. Campbell's Glencoe, who was distanced. In the exact metes and bounds of which can be ascer-American influence in Mexico had much the second race Fanny Washington won tained by consulting either of said convoyances About 70 acres of this land is in cultivation, has been highly improved, and is very productive -

> large and commodious Barn and Stable, nearly Messrs, W. J. Boothe, A. Jamieson, H. C. Dorsey, J. B. Smoot, J. W. Atkinson, E. Snowden, jr., W. A. Harper, A. W. Eastlack, J. S. Hallowell, instalments at its trades and sinkly trades. instalments, at six, twelve, and sighteen months secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with good personal security, bearing interest from date, and the title to be retained till the purchase money S. FERGUSON BEACH,

The remainder is in wood of tine growth, which

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BY T. M. MCCORMICK-AUCTIONEER. TOMMISSIONERS SALE OF LAND. - B Virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fair. against Whaley," at November term, 1859, we

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Fairfax county, feb 10-eots BY T. M. MCCORMICK-AUCTIONEER. SALE OF A VALUABLE FARM IN FAIR FAX COUNTY, VIRGINIA, IN THE VICINITY OF WASHINGTON AND ALEX ANDRIA .- On Saturday, the 24th day of March 1860, at 12 o'clock, M., on the premises, DUBLIC SALE - Will be sold at public aue- LAND, containing about FIFTY ACRES, situa-I tion, on the 17th instant, at the house, near ted in Fairfax County, Va., on the Leesburg the corner of Cameron and Fayette streets, at 10 Turnpike, a short distance beyond Balley's Cross

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The buildings on the place consist of a profitable foreign trade.

bles, Smoke House, &c., &c. Any further information in respect to the pro-perty can be had of the subscriber, Mrs. Amelia. T. Young, who resides upon it. TERMS: -\$1700 cash-the balance in two equal instalments, at six and twelve months, from the day of sale, with interest, the deferred payments

to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser and

a deed of trust upon the property.

AMELIA T. YOUNG S. FERGUSON BEACH, -BY T. M. McCORMICK-Augmonger. a good farm hand, and a fine coachman. As the for sale at public suction, the DWELLING owner does not wish him to go South, he will not and LOT, on King, between Columbus and

Alfred streets, at present accupied by T. J. Mehnf-DWELLING HOUSE FOR SALE.—The inches, with a depth of 100 feet.

Early possession given. teb 6 - dis Corner Union at and Fayette Alloy, ed until the deferred payments have been made Sale to take place at 12 M., at the Mayor's of-R. C. SMITH, Executor of

1 By authority of a deed of trust, executed by Henry Brengle, on the 24th day of June, 1854, No. 6, South Wharves and of record in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Alexandria County, I will offer for sale, on Setterday, the 24th day of March, 1860, in trent of the Mayor's Office, in the city of Alexandria, at 12 o'clock, on that day, the following REAL ESTATE, binding in Pitt and Queen street, in the city of Alexandrian Regioning on the cast less, to Queen street; thence westwardly with Queen street, one hundred and eight feet to Pitt staset; thence southwardly with Pitt street seventy-six feet seven inches to the place of beginning, with all the improvements, appurtanances, &c. The unimproved portion of the above property will be

sold first. Terms, cash. The Trustee sells only such title as is vested in him by the aforesaid deed, which is believed to be unquestionable. JAMES F. CARLIN.

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SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE -Pursuant to a decree of the County Court of day Moore's brown colt won both heats over | Fowle, and by the latter conveyed to said Coyle-

> new, and built in the best manner. from the day of sale, the deferred payments to be fully paid. feb 27—eots

The House then took up the Military Academy bill with Senate amendment, providing for the support of a regiment of mounted troops to serve on the Texau frontier.

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> CHRISTOPHER NEALE, | Comm'rs. ALFRED MOSS,